

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L KUWAIT 0936

E.O. 11652: XGDS  
TAGS: EFIN, EAID, EG  
SUBJ: GODE REPLENISHMENT

REF: CAIRO 2719

1. IN BRIEF CONVERSATION I HAD WITH ABDUL-LATIF AL-HAMAD  
AT DINNER PARTY FEB. 14 ON GODE AND AID TO EGYPT, THERE WAS  
NO RPT NO SUGGESTION IN HIS REMARKS THAT GODE CAPITALIZATION WOULD  
NOT RPT NOT BE REPLENISHED. AL-HAMAD, DIRECTOR OF KUWAIT FUND  
AND SOMETIMES INVOLVED IN GODE DELIBERATIONS ON BEHALF OF  
GOK, WOULD NOT EVEN HAZARD A GUESS AS TO THE LEVEL OF SUCH  
REPLENISHMENT, BECAUSE GODE MEMBERS HAD NOT YET MET TO  
CONSIDER THIS MATTER. THIS SUBJECT HAD NOT BEEN REVIEWED  
IN KUWAIT BECAUSE THE NEW GOVERNMENT WAS NOT YET FORMED.  
AL-HAMAD DID FEEL THAT POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS MIGHT HAVE  
SOME EFFECT ON THE DECISIONS OF GODE MEMBERS.

2. WHEN I NOTED THAT THE EGYPTIAN FINANCIAL POSITION  
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SEEMED TO BE IN THE BEST SHAPE IT HAD BEEN FOR A LONG  
TIME, AL-HAMAD DISMISSED THIS BY COMMENTING THAT HE  
SAW NO SOLUTION TO THE EGYPTIAN FINANCIAL PROBLEM UNTIL  
REFORM OF THE EGYPTIAN BUREAUCRACY AND IMPROVEMENT OF  
ITS FINANCIAL PRACTICES HAD BEEN ACCOMPLISHED.  
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